

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Sadao NISHIBORI et al. : Group Art Unit: 1774

Serial No.: 10/541,550 : Confirmation No. 8230

Filed: July 7, 2005 : Examiner: Vo, Hai

For: SPRING STRUCTURAL RESIN MOLDED:

PRODUCT, AND METHOD AND DEVICE: FOR FORMING SURFACE LAYER ON: THE SPRING STRUCTURE RESIN:

MOLDED PRODUCT :

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.